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FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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AT BALTIMORE  
CLERK U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND  
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FAY ARLENE SIMPSON, ET AL., :

Plaintiffs, :

Vs. :

SACRED HEART HOSPITAL OF THE  
SISTERS OF CHARITY, INC., :

Defendant. :

CIVIL ACTION NO. WMN 00 CV 351

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**AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER**

Upon review and consideration of the parties' joint request for modification of the Scheduling Order in the above-captioned matter, it is this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2000, hereby,

ORDERED, that the Scheduling Order will be modified as follows:

1. Plaintiff's Rule 26(a)(2) disclosures re experts, previously scheduled for May 1, 2000, shall henceforth be due on May 17, 2000;

2. Defendant's Rule 26(a)(2) disclosures re experts, previously scheduled for May 30, 2000, shall henceforth be due on June 16, 2000;

3. Plaintiff's rebuttal Rule 26(a)(2) disclosures re experts, previously scheduled for June 13, 2000, shall henceforth be due on June 29, 2000;

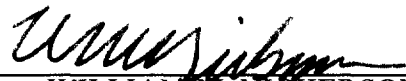
4. Rule 26(a)(2) supplementation of disclosures and responses, previously scheduled for June 20, 2000, shall henceforth be due on July 6, 2000;

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5. Discovery deadlines and submission of status report, previously scheduled for July 14, 2000, shall henceforth be due on July 30, 2000;

6. Dispositive pretrial motions, previously scheduled for August 14, 2000, shall henceforth be due on August 30, 2000; and

7. All other instructions and provisions set forth in the original Scheduling Order shall remain unchanged and shall be heeded by the parties.



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WILLIAM M. NICKERSON,  
United States District Court Judge

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April 27, 2000

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The Honorable William M. Nickerson  
United States District Court for the  
District of Maryland  
U. S. Court House  
3rd Floor, Room 330  
101 West Lombard Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: Fay Arlene Simpson, et al., v. Sacred Heart Hospital  
of the Sisters of Charity, Inc.  
Civil Action No.: WMN 00 CV 351  
United States District Court for the District of Maryland

Dear Judge Nickerson:

Counsel for the parties in the above-referenced matter respectfully request a modification of the existing Scheduling Order to allow additional time for discovery. Each of the parties have propounded and will shortly respond to written discovery. Some depositions have been scheduled in the month of May, but it is believed that a brief extension of the existing Scheduling Order to extend discovery to July 30, 2000, would be appropriate. With this brief extension, the other dates in the current Scheduling Order concerning identification of experts and the filing of the status report and motions would be modified accordingly. I have enclosed a proposed Amended Scheduling Order to accomplish those ends.

I have discussed these matters with Ms. Bartel, as attorney for the Defendant, and she has reviewed the attached Amended Scheduling Order and is in agreement with this request.

We thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure  
cc: Gertrude C. Bartel, Esquire